

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 15, beginning on line 27-32 with the amended paragraph as follows:

c/ Returning to FIG. 1, the transport stream is coupled to a digital video modulator [[126]] 122 where it is modulated onto a carrier that is appropriate for transmission through the distribution network 104. For a hybrid fiber coax based distribution network 104, the modulation is quadrature amplitude modulation (QAM).